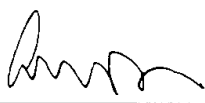


Remarks

The application is amended to substitute the above new claims for the originally filed claims in the PCT application. In addition, the specification is amended by replacement of specified paragraphs in order to associate pre-existing SEQ ID NO's with sequences presented in the specification. Minor grammatical and typographical corrections are made to Example 14, Table 2A, Table 2B, and Table 5. Table 6, which by its title is clearly directed to G-motif flanked by random nucleotides, is amended by identifying the oligonucleotide in the first row by its proper designation (PZ31-Random) and its proper IC₅₀ as provided in Table 5. No new matter has been introduced.

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